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MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Refund Section  
Office of Finance  
USPTO

**FROM:** Derrick T. Gordon

**RE:** Duplicate Charges

**DATE:** October 20, 2004

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Dear Sir or Madam,

There appears again to be duplicate charges on our PTO deposit account (181260). There are two transactions dated 10/19/04, serial number 09/631,414, attorney docket number 15162/2390 in the amounts of \$790.00 & \$980.00, respectively. Further down on the statement I'm viewing online are the same two transactions deducted again. Our files do not show cause to debit these fees from our account twice.

Please research this matter and if necessary, please refund \$1,770.00 to deposit account number 181260. If you have any questions please call me at 214-981-3324 or e-mail me at [dtgordon@sidley.com](mailto:dtgordon@sidley.com). Thank you.

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## RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL AND FEE AUTHORIZATION

ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.: 15162/02390		SERIAL NO.: 09/631,414	
FILING DATE: August 3, 2000	CONFIRMATION NO.: 9594	EXAMINER: Sajid Yussuf	GROUP ART UNIT: 2141
INVENTOR(S): Kenichi MORITA, Keisuke HASHIMOTO and Kenichi TAKAHASHI			
TITLE OF INVENTION: MULTI-LINE COMMUNICATION APPARATUS AND METHOD OF USE			

## MAIL STOP RCE

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P. O. BOX 1450  
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TRANSMITTED HEREWITH FOR THE ABOVE IDENTIFIED  
PATENT APPLICATION IS:

- ☒ (A) Amendment in response to the Office Action  
dated: April 15, 2004.
- ☒ (B) A Petition for Extension of Time (\$980)  
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☒ for 3 months;  
A Petition for Extension of Time, having been previously filed,  
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months
- ☐ (C) A request for approval of proposed drawing changes.
- ☐ (D) A response to the Advisory Action dated:
- ☐ (E) An Appellant's Brief on Appeal.
- ☒ (F) Other: Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (\$790)
- ☐ (G) A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27
- ☐ Small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been previously established
- ☐ The claims fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below

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DERRICK GORDON

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OCTOBER 15, 2004

Date of Signature

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	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA
TOTAL	0	MINUS	0	0
INDEP.	0	MINUS	0	0
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				

## SMALL ENTITY

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$9	\$ -0-
x \$44	\$ -0-
+ \$150	\$ -0-
TOTAL	\$ 0.00
ADD'L FEE	

## LARGE ENTITY

RATE	ADD'L FEE
x \$18	\$ -0-
x \$88	\$ -0-
+ \$300	\$ -0-
TOTAL	\$ 0.00
ADD'L FEE	

OR

- ☒ Please charge \$1,770 to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260, which includes  
☐ the amount of \$0 for the claims fee calculated above AND/OR  
☒ the amount of \$1,770 for the fee for item(s) ☒ (B) ☐ (E) ☒ (F), *supra*
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees (other than issue fee) required during the pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-1260.
- ☒ A duplicate copy of this Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization is enclosed.

October 15, 2004

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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.: 09/631,414  
Applicant(s): Kenichi MORITA, Keisuke HASHIMOTO and Kenichi  
TAKAHASHI  
For: MULTI-LINE COMMUNICATION APPARATUS  
AND METHOD OF USE  
Confirmation No.: 9594  
Customer No.: 24367  
Docket No.: 15162/02390  
Filed: August 3, 2000  
Group Art Unit: 2141  
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**PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants hereby petition that the period for response to the Office Action, mailed April 15, 2004, be extended for three months up to and including October 15, 2004.

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is submitted concurrently herewith.

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